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## Transmittal of Continuation Patent Application for Filing Under 37 CFR §1.53(b)

Mail Stop Continuation Patent Application **Commissioner for Patents** P. O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir: Transmitted herewith for filing is a patent application by inventor: Yasufumi Kaneda, and entitled:

# Virus Envelope Vector for Gene Transfer

#### 1. Enclosed are:

- One stamped, self-addressed postcard for PTO datestamp.  $\boxtimes$
- Certificate of Express Mail.  $\boxtimes$
- A copy of an executed Declaration of Inventorship from parent  $\boxtimes$ application no. 09/937,839 filed 2/21/02.
- An Information Disclosure Statement and Form PTO-1449  $\boxtimes$
- $\boxtimes$ A Sequence Listing and Matching Declaration
- A Request to Use Computer Readable form of Sequence Listing from Parent  $\boxtimes$
- $\boxtimes$ One utility patent application containing text pages 1-57 and 29 sheets of drawings.
- A Preliminary Amendment  $\boxtimes$
- A check for \$1,086.00 covering filing fee due.  $\boxtimes$

#### 2. Amendment

- Please enter the enclosed Preliminary Amendment before calculating the filing fee. It X is understood that only amendments reducing the number of claims will be entered for this purpose.
- Ø Please cancel original claims 10, 15, 17, and 19, before calculating the filing fee.

#### 3. **Extension of Time**

Conditional Petition for Extension of Time: An Extension of Time is requested to provide for timely filing if required to establish copendency with the parent after all papers filed herewith have been considered.

4. U.S. Priority

> This application is a continuation of U.S. Serial No. 09/937,839 filed February 21,  $\boxtimes$ 2002, which is a 371 of PCT/JP01/00782 filed February 2, 2001, which in turn claims priority to foreign patent application filed in Japan and assigned application no. 2000-25596 filed February 2, 2000. All applications are hereby incorporated by reference herein in their entirety.

### 5. Prior Documents Still In Effect

This application and parent application, Application No. 09/937,839 filed February 21, 2002 are assigned of record to AnGes, MG Inc. as recorded in the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office at Reel 012639 and Frame 0498 on February 25, 2002.

### 6. **Entity Status**

- Large entity status applies to this application.  $\boxtimes$
- Applicant claims Small entity status. See 37 CFR §1.27

## 7. Fees

The filing fee has been calculated taking into account any amendments in section 2 above:

For:	(Col. 1) No. Filed	(Col. 2) No. Extra	Small Entity			Other Than a Small Entity	
			Rate	Fee		Rate	Fee
Basic Fee				\$385.00	or		\$ 770.00
Total Claims	28 - 20	8	0 x \$ 9 =	\$ 00.00	or	8 x \$ 18 =	\$ 144.00
Independent Claims	5 - 3	2	0 x \$43 =	\$ 00.00	or	2 x \$ 86 =	\$ 172.00
☐ Multiple Dependent Claim Presented			+ \$145 =	\$ 00.00	or	+ \$290 =	\$
*If the difference in Col. 1 is less than zero, enter "0" in Col. 2.			TOTAL	\$ 00.00	or	TOTAL	\$1086.00

 $\boxtimes$ Enclosed is a check in the amount of \$1086.00 for the filing fee due. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any deficiency in fees under 37 CFR 1.16 and 1.17 to Deposit Account 50-2207.

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